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TAGS: CGEN SWEL TS

SUBJ: SUSPECTED QUARANTINABLE DISEASE

REF: TUNIS 6173

1. PROBLEM NOW APPEARS TO HAVE ABATED. MEDICAL DIRECTOR OF PROJECT HOPE REAFFIRMS PRESENCE OF CHOLERA. HOWEVER, SOME CASES INITIALLY BELIEVED CHOLERA MAY HAVE BEEN DIARRHEA EPIDEMIC DUE TO FLOODING OF DRINKING WELLS AND OTHER BACTERIAL PATHOGENS WHICH PRODUCED DIARRHEA. AREAS SUFFERING MOST FROM THIS FORM OF DIARRHEA SEEM TO BE LOCATED IN LOWEST LEVELS OF CITY WHERE FLOODING WATERS MAY HAVE DRAINED INTO COMMUNITY WELLS.

2. GOT OFFICIALS RELUCTANT TO DISCUSS SUBJECT. POST WISHES TO REITERATE THAT SOURCE OF THIS INFORMATION NOT TO BE DIVULGED. UNLESS A NEW OUTBREAK OCCURS, THIS WILL BE FINAL REPORT.

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